



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Martin Friedlander et al.)
Application No. 10/628,783)
Filed: July 25, 2003) Group Art Unit: 1636
For: HEMATOPOIETIC STEM CELLS AND)
METHODS OF TREATMENT OF)
NEOVASCULAR EYE DISEASES)
THEREWITH)
Examiner: Quang Nguyen, Ph.D.) Attorney Docket No. TSRI-900.1

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER RULE 111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2005 on the above-identified application.

Applicants request reconsideration and early allowance of all claims.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

A Petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action, and a check in the amount of \$1020 to cover the fee for the extension of time are transmitted herewith.